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Amendment CLAIMS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Letter mailed 06/10/05 ²⁰⁰⁵ ₂₄, please amend the above application as follows:

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

CLAIM 2 (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A METHOD OF CONTAINING EXHAUST PROVIDING A SOURCE OF EXHAUST WHICH ENTERS THE COLLECTION VESSEL, PASSES THROUGH THE FILTER TO BE COMPRESSED RESULTING IN 100% STORAGE AS OF CLAIM 1.

CLAIM 3 (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A METHOD OF RELEASING STORED EXHAUST THROUGH A VALVE TO BE RECYCLED FOR INDUSTRIAL USE AS OF CLAIM 1.